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16. ☒ Attached: Information Disclosure Statement; Form PTO-1449; (2) cited referenced with translations.

17. ☐ Preliminary Amendment:



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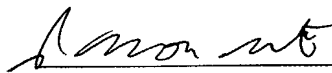
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